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## U.S. Small Business Administration Consultations Offered

Starting and operating your own business can be exciting and invigorating, but it can also be overwhelming. A business development specialist from the U.S. Small Business Administration will be at the Secretary of State Corporate Division Office (25 Capitol Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor Concord, NH) to address your concerns, direct you to the appropriate resources and help get you started in the right direction. Listed below is the schedule for January.

January 8, 2009 January 15, 2009 January 22, 2009 January 29, 2009

Between the hours of 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. No appointment is necessary

The U.S. Small Business Administration and its resource partners in New Hampshire—the NH Small Business Development Center; SCORE, "Counselors to America's Small Business", and the Women's Business Center are here to help you. In addition, there are numerous state offices and local organizations that deliver business assistance.

Visitors will discover how SBA supports small businesses through financial assistance, training, counseling, federal procurement opportunities and other programs that help small businesses start, grow and succeed. Learn about SBA's Patriot Express Loan Initiative-Helping the Military Community with Business.

For information on the full array of SBA programs, services and training calendar, visit our Internet site at www.sba.gov/nh or contact:

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